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FOR: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR USING CHARACTER SET MATCHING TO
ENHANCE PRINT QUALITY

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed October 2, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please enter the following amended claims:

- 3₁ Sub C₁
1. (Twice Amended) A method of selecting a font to output a message, comprising the steps of:
- creating a linked list of structures containing categories of information about available system fonts;
 - evaluating characters of the message to match against the linked list; and
 - traversing the linked list to output the characters of the message.
- 3₂ Sub C₂
6. (Twice Amended) A system for selecting a font to output a message to a printer, comprising:
- a processor unit for creating a linked list of structures containing categories of